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28 July 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Director for Intelligence

FROM:

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Chief, Collection Requirements and Evaluation Staff

SUBJECT: Response to Durenberger Letter

1. We took the opportunity afforded by Senator Durenberger's letter to the DCI to lay out for him what we see as the most important collection issues facing producers of intelligence. This meant identifying what we, in consultation with the production officer, saw as critical analytical shortfalls, highlighting collection capabilities needed to help fill them, and, finally, establishing some priorities for filling these gaps.

2. As you will note, we did not constrain ourselves to Durenberger's list but laid out where we thought bucks would give us the biggest payoff --

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4. Let me know what changes you want before I finalize the draft.

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